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Act, 1862.

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(Signed) | CHARLES DANIELSON.

Witness-Fienry Saunders.

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THE NEWS.

The Eastern intelligence brought yesterday by the Oregon, is three days later than that given to our readers a few days ago in our former news we left the Confederates returning from their pursuit of Averill, Crook, and Hunter, and Martinsburg, which had been captured by the outhern troops, was again occupied by the Federals. Since then, however, a second raid has taken place -this time the Confederates having crossed over into Pennsylvania and destroyed Cham beisburg, a town of 5000 of a population and situated about fiteen miles north of the boundary line. Upwards of a million of dollars worth of property was given to the flames From the inefficient manner in which the North has conducted its Shenandoah opera tions, the whole of the frontier towns along Maryland and Pennsylvania have been left to the mercy of an invading force; and although in no part could the Southern troops hope to make any more than a temporary lodgment, still they are in a position to inflict serious damage, and keep the inhabitants of the border cities, as well as the Cabinet at Washington, in a state of perpetu al alarm. However Lee may be exposing weakness in other quarters by keeping so large a force in the northern part of the Shenandoah, he is serving the Southern cause most effectually by giving employment to Hunter and Averill in defending northern towns, instead of destroying Southern railways. The blunder of the military authorities in Washington has been keeping the borders in so defenceless a condition, and the valley so ill provided with troops There is still another advantage to Lee, and that is while the Federal troops are looking after the frontier towns the Confederates are reaping barvests literally as well as figuratively, and

From Grant we have at length some stirring intelligence. Another "flank movement" has been made which brings the Federals a few miles nearer Richmond from the South Malvern Hill has been occupied by the Northern troops, and a more advanced base has been secur d on the James river This is the only direction, if we except the west, in which Richmond can be successfully assailed. An engagement had taken plac at Deep Bottom about ten miles from Richmond in which the Confederates were forced to retire. One of the gunboats assisted the land forces of the Federals very materially. By this late movement of Grant, which is said to have taken Lee by surprise-a statement that is evidently incorrect, from the fact that Lee had forwarded troops to the point before Grant's movement was completed-the Federals have obtained a position that will give them facilities of massing troops against Richmond or Petersburg as exigencies may arise, and at the shortest notice. The last Petersburg operation deserved more success than attended the undertaking: for the Federal plans were carried out with a most protound secreey and scientific exactness. For several weeks the Northern engineers had been mining the key of the first line of the Petersburg defences. On the evening of the 29th uit. at 4 o'clock, a cloud of dust seemed rising from the Confederate intrenenments, immediately followed by a genera upheaving of the +aitnworks, and the work was accomplished. The fort was blown up, and with it a whole regiment. Then cam the thundering of one hundred and twenty guns on the Confederate position, and, when confusion must have rei ned supreme in the Southers intreachments, the Federal troops rushed to the assault. The line was carried and a large number of prisoners taken. But the Northern forces were evidently laboring under a delusion about the inner defences of Petersburg ; for this was not, as expected, the only line of forcifications untaken So soon as the Federals had entered the intrenchments they found that there was still a further line, and they were obliged, after keeping the po sition some bours, to relinquish it. The tre mendons commading, however, from a hundred and twenty guns at correct range must have dealt out desperate destruction to the

defenders of the city.

Prom Georgia we have intelligence that shows how untrustworthy are the sources of news from Sherman's army. We have had must speedily fall from its inadequate de " wolf" all the time, will make us doubt the successful cavalry raids t rough Georgia and Alabama, unfold the fact that all the troops these States could muster must have been sent to Johnson's army. The new Confederass commander Hood, seems to be less cautions than his predecessor; he has already made several vigorous assaults on Sherman. with very heavy loss to the Southern troops It may tend to keep up the spirit of his troops by assuming the offensive and breaking the monotony of a continued retreat ; but the game is a risky one with superfor numbers, and must end disastrously. A defensive policy alone can retard the progress of Sherman, and even that retardation unless Lee gives up Virginia and comes to H od's assistance, can only be of a temporary nature. Information Wanted.

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For affording Nourishment and Durability to the Leather it stands Unrivalled. Sold by all first-class Houses in the Colony is ottles at 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. each.

3 cs Bedding 3 cs Flannel Shirts 1 cs Muslins Monkey Jackets Worsted Stockings Crimes and Baltic Shirts, Clothing, etc. TERMS All sums under \$250, cash : over that and up to \$500, 30 days; over that and up to

approved paper

HARDWARE I & Y, No. 1—1 bale Dry Goods, consisting of Flannels, Shirtings, Sheetings, Brown Hollands, etc. -BY-

AUCTION.

CLOSING OUT SALE. La Carmona-5 cases Liquorice

At 11 o'clock a. m., At the store of Hickman, Tye & Co., where the goods will be removed to, the whole of the stock of

Hardware!

-BRLONGING TO-

Has received instructions to sell,

ALFRED FELLOWS. For the purpose of Closing Out the Business.

The Stock consists of a great variety of

goods, catalogues of which are in preparation

COMPRISING :

Sacramento pattern Picks, Mining Pans

Bar Iren. Shoe Shapes

Ox Chains, Saws, Planes

Carpenters' Tools of all kinds

Cast Steel, Toe and Spring Steel

Chains, Horse and Mule Shoes

Wedges, Horse Nails, Locks, Hollow-ware, Ax and Pick Handles, Mattocks, Grub Hoes Carriage Poles, Sledges, Fire Irons Fenders, Camp Kettles, Nails, Brushes Lanthorns, Trays, Butts and Hinges Farm Gate Hinges, Rope, Twine, Spades, Forks, Hoes, Rakes, Scythes and Snaths, Files, Crowbars, Sad-Irons, Frying Pans,

Hardware Paper, Mops, etc., etc. TERMS OF SALE. All sums under \$100, cash : under \$200 30 days ; under \$500, 60 days ; under \$1000,

90 days; over \$1000, 4 months; approved andorsed paper.

At Il o'clock, WHARF ISTREET.

BY ORDER OF LLOYD'S AGENT, THE FOLLOWING GOODS,

159 Cases J B M under D in dia 21-60-40 cs, 3 doz ea, pints Pickles, asserted 71-90-20 cs, 3 doz ea, Imperial pint Pickles

162-167-6 cs. 3 doz ea, 1 lbs, Mustard, su-176-185 - 10 cs, 6 doz ea half lbs, Superfine Mustard 201-215-15 cs, 3 doz es, quarts, Virgin Vinegar

64 over N W, R R undor-5 bales 31/2 and 4 point Blankets

PJ & Co over D C & Co-3 cs Vermonth

Thursday, Aug. 11, AUCTION

> -WILL SELL-Thursday, August 11,

. Their entire stock of

Padlocks, Locks, Tinware, Cutlery Iron and Brass Wire, Stoves, Sheet Tin, Block Tin, Lead, &c., &c.

Particulars hereafter. SCREW AND PADDLE
STEAMERS, &c.

UNDERWRITERS'

P. M. BACKUS,

SALE

Oilman's Stores

P. M. BACKUS WILL SELL ON

THIS DAY,

DAMAGED

Ex "Royal Charlie," OILMAN'S STORES.

152-160-9 cs, 6 doz es, half pints Worces-ter Sauce

-ALSO-

W H D in dia-boxes Sheet Tin D in din, W outside-6 cases Brandy

At 11 o'clock, A.M.

CONSISTING OF Axes, Shovels, Picks, Spades, Iron Bars, Cast Steel, Nails, Tacks, Brade, Awls,

COMMERCIAL.

Auction Sales This Day.

P. M. BACKUS will sell at 11 o'clock, a. m., at lis salesroom, Wharf street, for account Under-writers, by order Lloyd's Agent, Damaged Ex Royal Charlie, Oilman's Stores, Pickles, Salad Oil, Worcester Sauce, Vinegar, Fruits, Also, Blankets, Dry Goods, Flannel, Shirtings. Also, Port, Sherry, Tapioca, Sheet Tin, Brandy, rolls of

J. A. McCREA will sell at 11 o'clock, at sales room, Wharf street, Hardware, Wrapping Paper, Stationery, also, India Rubber Conts, Shirts, also, an assortment of Naval Stores, also, Azus, Naii Hammers, Shoe Brushes, Paint Brushes, Rope, Twine, also, Tar, Varnish, Linseed Oil, Cutty

EXPORTS OF TREASURE.—The bank of British North America shipped by the Oregon last evening \$55,813 35; the bank of British Columbia \$55,000; Wells, Fargo, & Co., \$23,335 78.—

FROM SOOKE INLET .- The steamers Alexandre and Caledonia arrived yesterday evening from Sooke, the former with 8 passengers and the latter with 15 passongers.

PRINT PER MAIL STRANER -The steam Fideliter brought round, last ovening, the freight per steamer Oregon, and will discharge this morn-ing at Brodrick's Wharf.

terprise left yesterday for New Westminster, tak-ing 24 horses, 57 head cattle, 10 sheep, 50 tons FOR SOOKE INLET. -The steamer Alexandra

yesterday for Sooke with about 180 passengers and sundry mining tools.

FOR SOOKE INLET.—The steamer Caledonia left yesterday for Sooke with about 20 passengers.

FOR NANAIMO .- The steamer Emily Harris left

CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL INTEL-

(From S. F. Bulletin.)

The gala (From S. F. Bulletin,)

Our markets for Flour and Grain have been measurably active for the period under review. The arrivals have been light, particularly of Wheat though at the close and as we write, the receipts from the new crop are augmenting. The demand however is quite active and sales of choice parcels have, in a few instances and for small lots, been made at higher rates than have heretofore been reached during the current year.

During the past week we have had a moderate demand 107 both Flour and Wheat, for export to Aukland, N. 12., say to the extent of 12,000 half lake flour and 4009 sks Wheat, and possibly a few small parcels to other ports. This rather unexpected demand had the effect to advance prices very materially, as will be seen by reference to details below. Our local demand for Flour, and that shipment into the interior of the State, is now, and has been for three months past, unusually small; the country demand being supplied by Folsom and at other points.

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FLOUR—4000 hf sks Superfine National Mills
200 hf sks do Golden Gate Mills, 1000 hf sks do
Commercial Mills, 5000 hf sks of other brands of
Superfine for, export, all on private terms. The
present closling market price is \$9 50; 2500 hf
sks National Mills Bakers, extra, in lots, at \$10;
1000 hf sks Golden Gate do, \$10; 600 hf do Commercial Mills, extra, \$10; 600 qr sks Aiviso
Mills, in lots, at \$10@10 50.
WHEAT—We note sales as follows: 6500 sks
at 3c y B; 1600 sks at 2% y B; 5000 sks 83 12;
at 30 y B (100 liss; 5000 sks 32 55 do; 2000 sks
43 30@3 35 do; 2000 sks at 00; 600 extra choice,
33 50 do; the market closing firm at 3% @3% cy

B) BELEW, 1000.

BARLEY—1000 sks extra choice old brewing it is below up old at 33 55 \$\tilde{9}\$ 100 lbs, 30 days credit; 2500 sks \$330 35 46, 35 46, 1328 sks \$337 i; 2500 sks \$330 35 5. At the close New has been sold at 3 \$\tilde{9}\$ two falls the Control of the market has a downward tendency. OATS—The sales include a parcel of 100 sks ands a week ago at \$\tilde{8}\$ (> 20 days; 2500 sgs 3c ash; 1500 sks \$\tilde{3}\$ 250 \$\tilde{9}\$ 100 lbs. At the close the market is weak.
FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS—Tonnage is very bundant, far in excess of our requirements. At again in the

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FRHOITER AND CHAITERS.—Tonnage is very abundant, far in excess of our requirements. At present we have a large fleet of square riggors in port, with few or no charters offering. The greater number of the vessels now in port will be necessarily compelled to go elsewhere in ballast seeking business. The prospect is not good, however, in any port of the Pacific. Late advices from China announce the presence of two Prussian vessels-of-war off Shanghae, and the capture by them of two Danish merchantmen, and bring orders to effect insurance to cover the war risk upon all Danish and German vessels traversing these seas. It would seem from this as though there were a hope yet for some improvement in the demand for American shipping, particularly as it is stated in our latest Hongking advices that the Prussian vessels-of-war were also inclined to pay their respects to British vessels.

The Bremen bark Herzog Ernst has been chartered to load Lumber at the Alberni Mills for Shanghae.

The ship A M Lawrence, recently arrived from New York, has been purchased by Geo. Howes & Co. to run in the Pacific trade. She is now under sharter to load Lumber for Valparaiso, and has we believe a return charter for Flour for Victoria, V. I.

Per stmr OREGON from San Francisco.— Patrick Gustes, J Getchell, W Holmes, George Taylor, F Horains, G Harrey, John Sullivan, N Olliver, R Getchell, M Little, C Hanson, G——, A Hanter, Honry Bean, Pellow Cornibias B Frank, W L Lowrence, B H Hages, and 13 Chinamen.

Per stmr OREGON, from San Francisco.—102 pkgs paper hangings 3 do boots and shoes 2 do clothing 2 do furs hooks etc 1 do gloves 1 do hats 1 do artificial flowers 1 do hoopskirts 4 do copper etc 5 do butter and bacon 4 do axles 12 do cakes shrimps etc 13 do hats boots etc 1 do spool cotton 5 do castings 1 do treasure 1 do silk 1 do effects 1 6 do castings 1 do treasure 1 do silk 1 do effects 1 do surgical instruments 3 do medical stores 1 do books 6 do opium 1 do cheese 1 do cheese 17 do groceries 12 do Chinese provisions 22 Dgs vegetables 43 cs mdse 1 bell and fixtures X bbl pickles 14 bzs fruit l horse 21 pkgs furniture 7 do candles 1 do cigars 12 bgs insulators 11 do drugs 4 bbls capper role.

copper rods.

Prom Portland—81 pkgs bacon 4 do lard 133 bxs fruit apples etc 5704 qr sks flour 239 sks wheat 9 pkgs hams eggs etc 21 hf bbls butter 100 sks middlings 287 sks oats 11 pkgs furniture 50 skep 10 calves 2 bundles paper 2 bxs chickens.—Valus, 816,300.

CONSIGNEES.

Per atmr OREGON, from San Francisco.—H
Muscell, Wells Fargo & Co, Spratt & Kriemler, J
Hartfusan. Edgar Marvin, Tae Soong & Co, Koshfand Brose, McCutchen & Callingham, J S
Brummond, Bank of British Columbia, J R
Biewart, Hibben & Oarswell, Quong, Lee & Co, C,
A Bayley, M Corbineer, Yan Wo Sang & Co, C
Hanson, Unknowa, Mrs. Eberhardt, Pres Church,
G Bros., G Edwards, G Negrine, Hotel de France,
Mrs J C Keenan, Missew-, Broderick, O H Graffam, P Tracy, P Lewis, A B C, R H Adams, S B
& Co, State Telegraph, Thos Shotbolt, Victoria
Rxpress, Wm Scarby.

Express, van Scaroy.

From Fortland—L L Hotelier, G Cassamayou Lenevue & Co, G & Bros, G Promis, S Nesbitt, H Sporborg & Reuff, J Harriman, J Mitchell, Lower Syos, P O Dwyer, J J Southgale, D F, P & Co, F Horading, H McGlooy, G Edwards, Caren, Sorter Wagab Standard, Chinamen, J Diekson, Sisson

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

BETERBD. August 5-star Oregon, Connor, Astoria Slp Ringleader, Harper, Nausimo Blp Northern Light, Mountfort, Port Angelos Slp Foam, Cely, Port Angelos Schr Alpha, George, Nansimo

CLBARED. August 5-Stmr Oregon, Connor, San Franci

Schr Onward, McKay, New Westminster Schr J R Thorndike, Thornton, San Juan Slp Ringleader, Harper, Nanaimo

LIVELY TIMES .- Onr harbor has perhap never displayed a more lively appearance than yesterday morning. No less than six ateamers took their departure during the forenoon, two of which were heavily laden with miners and others for Seoke. The stir and bustle caused by the crowds getting on board, and at the wharves, the shipping of freight the almost continuous blowing of the steam whistles, the frequent departure of schooners, sloops and boats, exceeded anything that has been seen here since the " grand rush '

THE TRLEGRAPH WIREs are probably by this time through from Portland to Monticello. The peles are all ready thence to Olympia and Seattle, W. T. and the wires will be faid immediately. They are expected to reach the former place in three weeks.

NEW BELL .- The steamer Oregon brought up yesterday a fine large bell for the Presby-terian Church, Pandora street. Latest from the Diggings! trail to the mines. There were about 300 men on Leech river, not more than 10 of whom our informant saw actually at work. A very great number were lounging about doing nothing, and doubtless, would soon make their way back to Victoria without having struck a pick in the ground, and raise the cry that the mines were a humbug. The read to the mines is frightfully bad, being a constant scramble over and under fallen timber, through dense thickets, over crags, somether sense of their labors on Leech Biver.

the scene of their labors on Leach River, bringing with them more or less of the oro to satisfy the minds of the incredulous, and it is highly satisfactory to know that their re ports tend to add strength to the belief which is now becoming general, that the Sooke diggings are truly rick. That unfavorable acthose whose bright visions may not have been realised is only to be expected, but viewing the testimony already before us calmly and dispassionately, without allowing our wishes to father or in any way influence our thoughts, we are justified in coming to the conclusion, that so far as has at present

2.000 to 5.000 men, such as have not yet been struck on the Pacific coast.

been ascertained, the Scoke diggings offer an

easy field of profitable employment, to say,

Mr. John Howe, left Leech River on Thursday night. He had taken up a claim about half a mile from the forks of Sooke and FOR NEW WESTMINSTER .- The steamer En-Leech Fiver. Having left Mr. Scott his partner on the claim he went up the second or west fork of Leech River about 4 miles, prospecting all the way up and getting various prospects one of which he computes to be worth 83 75. He was absent 3 days and during his absence his partner prospected the claim staked off, and got fine prospects averaging

his absence in spartner prospects a veraging staked off, and got fine prospects averaging about a "bit" to the pan of good coarse gold, the Mr. Howe brings back about \$20 of gold and will return with provisions and tools.

Mr. Howe has had practical mining experience in California, ann is of opinion that there are good diggings on Leech river, but for what number of men he does not yet venture an opinion.

In one claim several miles up Leech river, but they had sunk 7 or 8 feet without reaching they had sunk 7 or 8 feet without reaching they had sunk 7 or 8 feet without reaching they had sunk 7 or 8 feet without reaching they had sunk 7 or 8 feet without reaching they had sunk 7 or 8 feet without reaching they had sunk 7 or 8 feet without reaching they had sunk 7 or 8 feet without reaching they had sunk 7 or 8 feet without reaching they had sunk 7 or 8 feet without reaching they had sunk 1 or 1 feet and 1 feet of the receives. The neighborhood of the little cafion, done in the neighborhood of the little cafion, done in the neighborhood of the little cafion. The pair blood of the neighborhood of the little cafion. The neighborhood of the little cafion. The pair blood of the little cafion. The pair blood of the little cafion. The pair blood of the little cafion. The neighborhood of the little cafion. The slate bed rock up, and clearly out the slate bed rock up, and clearly by panning out the rockes bed rock and the dirt in the crevices. Five or six companies were making \$10 to an onnee a day by panning out the rockes bed rock and the dirt in the crevices. Five or six companies were making \$10 to an onnee a day by panning out the rockes bed rock and the dirt in the crevices. Five or six companies were making \$10 to an onnee a day by panning out the rockes bed rock and the dirt in the crevices. Five or six companies were making \$10 to an onnee a day by panning out the rockes was defined the rock and the dirt in the crevices. Five or six companies were making \$10 to an onnee a day by panning out the rockes was defin party, but they told him the dirt prospected party, but they told him the dirt prospected for rockers at the present moment.

The claim belonging to the company in which Mr. Barnett is interested is 31/2

Up to 5 p.m. on Thursday afternoon, 77 claims had been recorded. Most of the claim holders appeared to be perfectly contented with their prospects of success, and be was told by several whom he did not know, to tell their partners in Victoria that they had a good thing.

Turner and Gibson's Account.
Messrs. Win. Tarner, a nephew of Mr. Michael Muir, and Saml. Gibson state that they sucended the North Fork of the Leech they ascended the North Fork of the Leech state rock, which runs across the stream at

Michael Muir, and Saml. Gibson state that they ascended the North Fork of the Leech River about 3 miles above the Devil's Grip, a steep camen, to pass which they had to climb a precipitous woody peak about 500 climb a precipitous woody peak about 500 anything, worse than the first, being almost feet. The water rushes through with great an inaccessible canon.

rapidity, having a fall of about 30 or 40 feet. The river above this canon is similar to what The river above this canon is similar to what it is below up to the second narrow, cañon which has a fall of about 30 feet and to pass this gorge requires great care. Between the two falls they prospected some red cement gravel in the crevices, and from two pans took out \$7\$.

Above the second fall they prospected again in the crevices and on the bank for about 3 miles, averaging 25 cents to the pan, the highest being \$1 50 to the pan. There is not much pay ditt here, but, as they acon-less in the benches accept McDonell's, but no one has yet prospected them. Unless diggings are discovered in the hills the mines on less than the second fall that god poy dirt will be found in the old channels, in the banks and benches. The slate outself over two less than an undulating appearance in many places, very well defined, and their surface is covered with good looking quartz between the second fall they prospected them. Unless diggings are discovered in the hills the mines on less than an undulating appearance much resembling waves. The benches are, in many places, very well defined, and their course. It has an undulating appearance much resembling waves. The benches are, in many places, very well defined, and their course. It has an undulating appearance much resembling waves. The benches are, in many places, very well defined, and their course. It has an undulating appearance much resembling waves. The benches are, in many places, very well defined, and their course. It has an undulating appearance much resembling waves. The benches are, in many places, very well defined, and their course. It has an undulating appearance much resembling waves. The benches are, in many places, very well defined, and their course. It has an undulating appearance where the present bed, and runs parallel with its course. It has an undulating appearance where the present bed, and runs parallel with its course. It has an undulating appearance where the present bed rook is often 20 feet above the level of the present bed, and runs parallel w

to get flatter.

their provisions failed, but from what they saw they judged that the prospects improved. There is an abundance of quartz in the neighborhood.

Bears are very plentiful, and our informants describe this section of the country as the ughest they ever travelled through.

On Tuesday afternoon, just below the first big fall above the forks of Leech River, they saw Mallandaine's party wash out \$16 in five slate gravel to reach the bed rock and had got down three or four feet. About six miles a slight expense, and is greatly needed by the miners. of the right bank of the creek, from the forks on diggings will be struck.

Mr. Scully, painter, of Fort street, who arrived last night by the Alexandra, gives the following particulars: He reached Leech River on Tuesday evening, and took up a claim at once, about 2½ miles from the He and his partners immediately went to work "crevicing" or picking out the deposits from the crevices of the bed-rock with their knives, and soon got out a nugget with their knives, and soon got out a nugget worth \$4. They then proceeded to break up the loose slate rock about 20 feet from the bed of the stream, finding it quite bare of earth and slightly covered with moss, and on washing four pans of the fragments, got out about half an ounce of coatse gold, after "crevicing" a little further, taking out about \$20, in pieces of from half an ounce to \$1. Mr. Scully left his partners on the claim, and made his way down to the town site. and made his way down to the town site came on to Victoria to provide himself with a rocker and other necessary equipments. The claim he has taken up is the second above

Row in the Camp .- We hear that a rum pus has taken place amongst the Exploration

AN IRRESPONSIBLE EDITOR EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST .- When

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—When you, a short time since, so facetiously, yet so truly described the Rilitor of the Chronide as a "man-fish." I did not expect to be so personally called upon to witness his strange and suspicious movements. He made some assertions the other day, with his usual convenient memory which enables him to remember what he pleases, and upon my questioning these assertions, down he dived, but I was not to be entdone by the "cunning creature," and instantly plunged after him. This morning he comes to the surface, and very innecently says, "Mr. John Arnoup is not a very modest man," or he would have kept silent under our "merciful strictures." Really, I want to know nothing of his strictures. What concerns me and the public is whether this man tells the truth? Whether he does not allow cowardly dishonorable motives to influence the things he writes. Let him grapple with fact and not deal in assertion. When a man meets him, he shrinks from the encounter, and tells him ho is "not modest." Modest indeed! A highwaytnan meets a traveller on the road and endeavors to robhim. If the traveller elesents from this, be is told to "keep quiet." that he is "not modest." This editor is a newspaper highwayman—he babbles of morality too. I will no more be robbed quietly by the one than the other. If a man has anything to say for the the public see the real countenance underneath. If a man has anything to say for the night at 8 o'clock on the Caledonia from the the public see the real countenance under-neath. If a man has anything to say for the public good, let him not spare me. I can defend myself if unjustly attacked, and will

times in the stream and sometimes out of it

A trail, even of the simplest kind would be

LATEST FROM SOOKE.

Arrival of the Caledonia.

Mr. George Barnett, who arrived last

Sooke mines, in which he has taken up a

promising claim, gives us the following inter-

About 60 or 70 men were on the uppe

Seven miles from the mouth of the Leech the river is staked out and claimed on both

a great boon to the weary miners.

the river is staked out and claimed on both sides for a distance of nearly four miles, above that distance there are not many likely spots. Two companies only have taken up claims on bars above the canon which is nearly six miles up. They got prospects in the ground of from 3 to 10 cents to the pan. There are very few bars on the river and a great scarcity of gravel, the chanuel (particularly the upper part) being mostly boulders and bed rock. The first two miles of the river are, however, better off in this respect. do so.

I have myself been connected with the A great many of the miners who have staked off ground have left for provisions.

Mr. Golledge allowed them ten days in addition to the 72 hours provided by law, in order that they might make their arrangements, many prospectors having left Victoria with scarcely anything but necessary tools.

The principal work on the great was being newspaper press, and am some what jealous of its position. And I do say coolly and ad-visedly, that the present editor of the Chronicle has done more than any man I ever The principal work on the creek was being done in the neighborhood of the little canon,

Chronicle has done more than any man I ever knew to lower the position of the press in this colony, by making it the foul sink of personalities and lacqueyism instead of trying to lift it to a position of freedom and intelligence.

" tams pade in uno," a man far below the average intelligence, could furnish any number of his so-called leaders at a small sum per dozen. Thankful to say, "that though the is an "old bird," he mores about in a very "small cage." His chirping may amuse and astonish the old ladies of both sexes, but thinking independent men will question the genuineness of his song. To reason with this man is impossible. I like a conflict of opinion and fact, but if men try to wield the sword of sarcasm, they must not be surprised if of sareasm, they must not be surprised if others occasionally draw the same weapon. And when he talks of me as the " irrespo ble clerk," I will tell him what is an irresponsible editor—perhaps he can make the application—namely, a man not too well educated—no delicate notions of honor—a McCulloch's dictionary and a pair of sharp scissors to clip words and phrases from news-papers, and put them forth in "our" leaders as "our" opinions.

OUR LONDON LETTER.

London, June 18, 1864.

INSTABILITY OF THE GOVERNMENT. INSTABILITY OF THE GOVERNMENT.

The tace of the Palmerston Government soems to be well nigh run. Last night they had a narrow escape of being defeated, after a debate upon the Ashantee war, which was opened by Sir J. Hay, who complained that the whole affair had been carried on without the sanction or even knowledge of Parliament; that the arrangements made for the comfort and supply of the troops were infamous, and that death had raged amongst both officers slate rock, which runs across the stream at right angles, but there is no dirt in the stream, which is literally rothing but a moun-tain torrent. The second North Fork is, if that death had raged amongst both officers and men out of all proportion of the usual rate of mortality, simply on account of the hardships to which they had been subjected. an inaccessible canon.

The opinion of miners from all parts of the world who are on the creek is, that the gold has been washed down from the hills, and that As a matter of course, the conduct of the As a matter of course, the conduct of the Government towards Denmark was dragged into the debate, and there was some hard hitting on both sides, which caused the Promier to lose his temper—net an unusual occurrence now-a-days. Up to 8 o'clock last evening the Government counted upon a majority of 40 at least. It will be seen that on a House composed of 464 members a majority of 7 was all that could be mustered. The affair is taken to be the beginning of the end. For the last ten days rumor has prevailed in all the clubs that the ministry would be attacked by the opposition, not on the Asbantee matter alone, but on other grounds, which would be tantamount to an endeavor to elicit a vote of want of confidence. At present, however, the leaders of the opposition do not desire to push things so far to extremities. They are striving to hold the younger members on their side in check, since it would be most inconvenient for them into the debate, and there was some the younger members on their side in check, since it would be most inconvenient for them to come into power just at the crisis of the Dennark danger; but, even should they succeed in postponing the fight, and its result, the internal differences of the Cabinet may bring about the very object that is agained at. The partisans of the Government, on all hands, admit that it cannot stand much longer. Their hopes is to tide over the present session, so as to remain in place till next. Prince is reported to be astrong and healthy session, so as to remain in place till next Prince is reported to be a strong and healthy of unpleasant business on their hand the prince is reported to be a strong and healthy child. the incapacity of the principal members of the Cabinet to deal with and settle it, is so of the right bank of the ereck, from the forks of Sooke Rivers up are staked off, and good prospects were said to have been taken out of the crevices in the decayed bed-rock. The miners were somewhat reserved as to the jield of their claims, but appeared satisfied. Our informants are of opinion that other crecks exist in the neighborhood, where good diggings will be struck.

The country has every indication of a gold-bearing district. They reached the highest point yet prospected.

The miners were somewhat reserved as to the decayed bed-rock and party did not find out their misks u antil they were up four miles and struck the big lake at its head. They prospected several likely spots on the way up and could scarcely miss the color.

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The many constances are formed to the cresis may come at any moment, when the position of the conservatives and that which our subscribers received yes for interposition of the conservatives and that which our subscribers received yes did that which our subscribers received yes and that which our subscribers received yes the blank of the present holders of a new ministry, than if the opposition had put out the present holders of all subscribers received yes and that which our subscribers received yes and that which our subscribe patent, that the crisis may come at any mo-ment, when the position of the conservatives

risited the mines as a looker on, informs us that he proceeded a short distance up Leech River and saw one party wash out about half an once about 2/2 miles on the sterner of the man. It is probable that the creament of the man of the sterner of the sterner of the man of the sterner of the stern ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

Left Behind.—We understand that a length along." The plenipotentiaries meet

Mr. Arthur Keast, a gentleman who good many of the steerage passengers who to-day, but I shall scarcely be able to obtain

RECRUITING POR THE FEDERALS. There has been a great stir on the river Thames within the last few days. A suspicious looking craft made its appearance off Gravesend a night or two ago, but in the morning she was off, no one knew whither. When, however, the muster roll of the Royal Artillery and one or two other Regiments were called at Woolwich the number of desertions was suid to exceed a hundred. Not one of these levanters has been so much as heard of since. It is generally believed that they are well across the Atlantic by this time to serve as food for powder. One fellow robbed an officer whose servant he was of £200 and some valuable jewelry before when he recorded his claim, after which he came on to Victoria to provide himself with a rocker and other necessary equipments. The claim he best lake up is the second above the Discovery Claim, belonging to Booth and others. He passed when Thain & Co. were also doing well; Small-bone & Co. were also doing well; our informant others. He passed when Thain & Co. were also doing well; our informant to be pan, by crevicing. Beaches of gravel extend back from the location of the present claims along the bed of the river, and are expected to contain rich deposits of coarse personnel of the prove the case personnel diggings for a large number of miners will be the presult. Mr. Scully, met Mr. Surjeyor General Pembers and party yesterday morning; about 2 miles from Sooke, on route to lay out a short of £200 and some valuable jewelry before

ets. That he should feel strongly is not to be wondered at, seeing that the Northerners have had "the pull" in their favor, by the ability of our traders to supply them with whatever "munitions of war" they are prepared to buy; but when he condemns our neutrality as being all on one side, he goes e trifle too far. Moreover he overlooks the fact that the blockade of the Southern ports is the chief hindrance to the Southern ports is the chief hindrance to the South operating with us upon the same terms that the Federals can obtain. That English sympathy is partially with the South, is not enough for the gallant captain. Thus we should go the "entire animal" with those who think with him would alone satisfy him. This we are not prepared to do, and therefore, however much we may regret Captain Semmes' indignation, we are content to leave matters as they are, and bear all, or even more than he they are, and bear all, or even more than he

THE QUEEN.

Her Majesty has returned from Balmoral and is now resident at Windsor, even in more exclusive retirement than before she went north. She has been only once to London since her arrival at the Castle, to visit the Dalte of Newcastle, who is dying by inches, and to call upon Dean Stanley at Westminster Abbey, to whom she has always shown much consideration. The Very Revered the Dean is one of those modern divines who is accused of heresy. The visit of the Queen has, therefore, caused not a little surprise and talk amongst those religious coteries into which broad views and liberal notions obtain no admission.

NEW ZEALAND.

contribution is to be made to meet the expenses of the troops, and cordial co-operation is to be given to the Governor to assist him in carrying out the policy of the Home Government towards subdaing the natives. The offenses is not because. No half measures will succeed, and there can be nosefety in New Zealand until the natives are conquered. For this there must be money raised, and an Imperial guarantee can only enable the authorities to make safe and satisfactory terms.

PARIS HORSE RACE.

All France has been in costacies at the result of the race, which was approaching when I last wrote you.' Neither Blair-Athol nor Fille d'air won; an outsider—but a French outsider, and hence the jubilation—

"The proposition of the race of the safe and satisfactory terms."

Astrong pressure was made on Butler's line yesterday which is being returned to-day. There were heavy movements of entire corps last night, Our army is in a magnificent condition.

much probability of our differing with them especially on this the anniversary of that day

THE PRINCESS OF WALES.

INTERMEDIATE NEWS.

Washington, July 28-Advices were re-seived at the War Department of the safety of Gen. Averill who is now at Hanoverstown

New York, July 28-Advices from Baltimore show that Gen. Crook in his retreat from Winchester, lost about 1,000 men and a

Hill, Early naving ien on account of all wounds.

Gen. Wright has been placed in command of all the troops on the Upper Potenac, now marching against the rebels, and has reoccupied Martinsburg.

New York, July 29—The World's dispatch to the Consequent is advised, that skir-

The Herald's Frederick dispatch says: The enemy advanced northward, his line extending from Williamsport to Shepardtown. On forces are closely watching the rebels.

omplete are closely watering the recei. A complete arrangement has been perfected to confront any hostile operations.

The Herald's Monocacy dispatch states that the robel prisoners insist that Gen. Lee with his robel forces is intending to invade Pennsylvania.

HARRISBURG, July 29 .-- The rebels crossed and recrossed the Polomac at Falling Waters and again crossed vesterday and last evening. A force is said to be crossing at Hancock.

WASHINGTON, July 28—The steamer from

City Point, 10 o'clock yesterday morning, reports all quiet in front of Petersburg Movements were discovered on the afternoon Movements were discovered on the afternoon of the 26th, indicating that the rebels were attempting to flank Butler's position on the right. A proper disposition of troops was made to check them. Cannonading commenced at the Point of Rocks on Tuesday evoning and continued all night. It is reported that there had been some fighting at Bermuda Huncred. The rebels it is said were posted three miles from there. Persons at Butler's headquarters on the night of the 26th say the roar of musketry and artillery was incessant yesterday morning; when the steamer passed down firing continued but seemed somewhat slackened.

New York, July 28—The Herald's City

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The last news from this distant colony is of an unpleasant nature. Not only is the war not ended, but, in an engagement with the natives one of our regiments has had the worst of it; so that the insurgents not only oscaped, but have gone further up country to another and a stronger position, out of the surprise of the surprise occurred the surprise of the

and disposition are not so, the Potomac corcation.

The Heraid's Army of the Potomac correspondent of the 27th, says that the rebel
attack on the 26th was successfully repulsed
at all points. Foster holds an important pol sition and it would require the whole of
Lee's army to dislodge him.

New York, July 29—The Times' special

The Palmetto Herald of the 21st says that Fort Sumter is undergoing another destruc-tive bombardment from batteries and the

tire bombardment from batteries and tillect. The firing is very slow but accurate and serious damage resulted to some of it strongest portions of the fort. The fire of Charleston is still kept up with vigor.

The late expedition under Fuster create a great scare at Savannah; rams were offered down to the obstructions in the rive and General Johnson sent a brigade Georgia troops to Savannah to protect it.

Chucago, July 29—The starments in the rive.

Chicago, July 29-The statements in the St. Louis Democrat concerning the conspir-acy are based on very voluminous evidence taken during several months past by the Provost Marshal General of the Missouri Department.

CLARESVILLE, (Tenn.) July 28-A party of rebel cavalry are crossing the Cumberland and are making their way into Kentucky.

EYesterday a party of 125 crossed a few miles above here, and another smaller party crossed below; all well armed and mounted

Hood sent an official despatch claiming a positive victory, with the capture of many prisoners, cannon, colors, etc. The rebel Gen. Walker was killed and three rebel Generals wounded.

The World's dispatch says that Sherman

The Atlanta Appeal, of the 20th, has an account of an incendiary fire that occurred the night before, destroying \$300,000 worth of property. During the fire buildings were pillaged by numerous speculators. Washington, July 29 .- The latest official

dispatch from Sherman's army state that he is steadily drawing his lines closer around Atlanta. He has not heard of the cavalry is steadily drawing in since closes and a Atlanta. He has not heard of the cavalry force that has been sent to cut the Miscon and Columbus railroad, which was the only means of escape that the rebels had.

CINCINNATI, July 29 .- Private advices from Sherman's headquarters announce the of the Army and Department of Tennessee, that position being made vacant by the death of McCherson. Washington, July 29 - A dispatch says

that Hood has made several efforts to renew

the assaults upon Sherman's lines, since the 22d, but they were feeble and have been promptly and successfully repelled. FARM FOR SALE. -The attention of persons

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Am mongst those action of inventions which have appeared to illustrate this eventual year, and to figure in the great international contest of ingenuity and industry, though many be more showily represented and more commentually war shalled before us, none meets with more personal sympathies than that of the new Octoo-Eidon produced by Mesrs Gasnitz, the belief the Delbridge Delbridge of the control of the committee of the international Exhibition, whose admirable adaption of Artificial Teeth has obtained so high an approval from the profession as well as from the public. The Osteo-Eidon as a base for ects of teeth, obviates all objections applicable to other materials, and whilst firmly seated peaces with all need of mechanism, and presents an appearance not to be distinguished from that of the satural guns and tools in a charled apply artificial Teeth and Guma on their patented system, prespective of distance.

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When Mr. Barnett left yesterday, there were about 300 men on the river, and he met at least 200 more on their way up. Ninety licenses had been issued up to 10 o'clock yesterday morning and many more were waiting to get them. Mr. Golledge has his hands full of work, and he gets through it to the satisfaction of all parties. He has been unable hitherto to go up and inspect the mines owing to the number of persons making equiries. Superintendent Smith was met going up three miles this side of the Forks and Surveyor Pemberton five miles up the trail. A pack trail, from the mouth of Sooke

SHORT TRAIL TO THE MINES. - SUIVEYOR Indians intending to take the river trail to the confluence of the Leech and Sooke rivers and to seek a shorter trail from the rivers and to seek a shorter trail from the mines on the former river to Sooke Inlet by way of Muir's. Two miners report that they travelled across country from Muir's to Leach River in three hours, shewing that this is considerably the shortest route for the trail from the Inlet.

carry out the Overland route, he told me, had been attracting more attention than had yet been given to it. Some "strong men" in the city were putting their heads together how best to give the scheme a push that would bring it an increase of really substantial supporters. "It is a mere question of time," he said, and must cre leag be one of the greatest accomplished facts of the day. I do not know what you ou your side are doing in the matter, but, if you put yourselves en rapport with good usen and true here, the thing may I think, be said to be as good as done. Then there will be grand opportunities for Vancouver of which your people will not fail to make the most. If a Conservative Government should but come into effice, a determination to aid colonial progress will certainly be amongst the most prominent features of its administration.

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Intelligence of the successful result of the cavalry raid on the toad from Atlanta to Ma-oon is hourly expected. It seemed that there was no disposition on the part of Hood to evacuate Atlanta. It is probable that the city will not be taken without a struggle or

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